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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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 TITLE: ECHOGENIC DEVICES AND METHODS OF MAKING AND USING SUCH DEVICES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
**BOX PATENT APPLICATION**  
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Sir:  
 We are transmitting herewith the attached:

**Patent Application Transmittal**

**Specification:**

Total pages: 24 (including claims and abstract): Spec. 19 sheets; Claims 4 sheets; Abstract - 1 sheet.

**Drawings:**

Total sheets: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney:**

- newly executed
- copy from prior application
- Deletion of Inventor(s) - Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b))
- Incorporation by Reference - *The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied above is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.*

**Accompanying application parts:**

- Notification of filing a
- Assignment of the Invention to Medtronic, Inc.
- Assignment cover sheet of prior application
- Information Disclosure Statement
- PTO Form 1449
- Copies of IDS citations
- Preliminary Amendment
- A copy of the Petition or Conditional Petition for Extension of Time in the prior application.
- Return Postcard

**IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION:**

- Continuation       Divisional       Continuation-in-part (CIP)  
 of prior application No. \_\_\_\_\_.
- Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This application is a X continuation  
 division       continuation in part of application number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_.
- Cancel in this application original claims \_\_\_\_\_ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.  
 (At least the original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
- The prior application is assigned of record to Medtronic, Inc.
- The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to: Medtronic, Inc.

This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application(s) Serial No.(s)\_\_\_\_\_, filed\_\_\_\_\_.

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FEE CALCULATION	No. of Claims Filed	Claims Included in Base Fee	No. of Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	18	20	=	x 18	
Independent Claims	09	03	= 06	x 80	\$ 480
Multiple Dependent Claims				+ 260	
Basic Filing Fee					\$ 710
				TOTAL	<b>\$ 1190</b>

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